

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Jas. Garnett is sick, but is improving.

Herbert McLean is sick with the grippe.

Miss Lora West has returned from Campbellsville.

Mr. J. P. Beard is very sick at Campbellsville.

Mr. Tyler Coleman was in town last Saturday.

Mr. Geo. McLean had a very attack of la grippe last week.

Miss Sallie Ray Marcum was on the sick list last week.

Hon. J. R. Hindman has been quite sick for the past week.

Mrs. R. M. Hurt was reported no better the first of the week.

Judge Jas. Garnett has been confined to his room for several days.

Mr. J. E. Murrell, of this office, is in Louisville this week.

Mr. Luther Bell and brother, James, of Nell, were in Columbia Monday.

Mr. M. H. Judd has returned home from State College at Lexington.

Mr. W. B. Hurt, one of Adair's best farmers, was quite sick last week.

Mrs. Jas. Ingram has been sick for the last week but is now improving.

Mrs. T. R. Price, who has been very sick for two weeks, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kinnard and daughters were in Columbia last Monday.

Dr. Chas. Murrell, accompanied by his sister, Miss Susie, are in Louisville this week.

Captain W. W. Bradshaw is now in Western Kentucky, in the interest of Sunday-School work.

Mr. Elzy White, of this county, who has been in ill health for several weeks is some better.

Mr. W. J. Edgington and wife and little daughter, Cane Valley, paid the News a visit last week.

Mrs. Anna Poore, who has been quite sick for the past two weeks is some better.

Mr. W. B. Patteson, wife and son, and Mrs. Mary Patteson were quite sick last week.

Mr. Ira Jones, sister, Miss Pearl and cousin, Miss May Mitchell are visiting friends in this city.

Misses Haidee Rowe and Ethel Patterson, of Jamestown, were shopping in Columbia last Thursday.

Mr. M. H. Bernard, Jr., of Felix, Russell county, was in town Monday, and his name will be found in our list of the illustrious few.

Mr. Oscar Pile, we are sorry to say, is yet a very sick man. He is suffering with la grippe, and being in his 81st year, he cannot wrestle with the disease like a younger person. Everybody is anxious for his recovery.

## LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Peaches are not killed in this county.

Circuit Court third Monday in next month.

I have a nice lot of cannas for sale.

Mrs. J. O. Russell.

If you need horse and jack bills send us your order.

The Courier-Journal and Adair County News, \$1.25.

No preaching in Columbia last Sunday forenoon.

The latest and most fashionable visiting cards at this office.

The water courses in this section were past fording last Friday.

I have for sale 50 ewes, 2 bucks and 43 lambs. Anderson Holladay.

C. M. Breeding sold a six year old gelding to Frank Dehoney for \$200.

We can furnish you fertilizer at \$1.10 per 100 pounds and up. W. F. Jeffries & Son.

Last Monday tons of fertilizers were sold in this town and the trade is still good.

It pays to buy the best fertilizer for your crops. See W. F. Jeffries & Son before buying.

Pedigo & Terry bought of Frank Risen, Gees county, one bay gelding five years old for \$110.

Mr. W. L. Walker sold 210 pairs of ladies' slippers last week at 50 cents per pair and still has some left.

Read our Greensburg letter. It tells of a very destructive fire which visited our neighboring town last Friday night.

Some of the boys had good sport fishing last week. Mr. T. C. Davidson caught a "cat" weighing five pounds.

The mail from this place to Jamestown failed to reach the latter place two days of last week on account of high waters.

Every farmer should raise broom corn for his own use. W. I. Pease, of Cane Valley, will tie the brooms for 74 cents each.

Dr. J. H. Grady has received his commission as enumerator for West Columbia. Mr. M. W. Hancock, this city, will take the White Oak district. The other enumerators have been announced.

Paid subscribers since our last issue: W. J. Edgington, J. N. Petty, W. E. Williams, J. A. Johnston, L. F. R. R. R. J. G. Blackford, C. M. Medley, W. H. Kemp, M. H. Barnard, Jr.

If you want a clean shave, an up-to-date hair cut, you can get it at the Conover Barber Shop. Don't forget this when you come to town.

Parsons & Moss have completed their building near the Columbia Roller Mill and are now prepared to do work of any kind in blacksmithing and wood work. We understand that they are first-class mechanics.

Lost.—In the public road near the residence of John Holladay a plain ring, initials and date inside. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning to Miss Mary Holladay, Columbia.

Mr. James Garnett, Jr., and C. S. Harris have contracted with Wolford & Bennett to broaden the fill, raise the bridge and gravel Maple Avenue from the pike to Mr. J. W. Richard's corner and work is now in progress.

Mr. L. V. Hall and S. L. Powell are making preparations to open up a bicycle store. They will keep in stock two grades, bicycle sundries and do all kind of repair work. Can be seen at L. V. Hall's tin shop.

Clinton county has a prospect for a railroad. Northern capitalists propose to build a road from Algood, Tenn., to Albany, through the Wayne county oil belt, and on to Burnside. The company wants \$20,000 and the right of way from the Clinton county people.

I have made a contract for a large lot of fine flour which I will sell at \$1.90 per 100 pounds, for cash only.

Mr. John Hughes and son, Bowling Green, bought in Adair and Cumberland last week the following horses: Five in Cumberland at \$80 to \$100; one Red Squirrel mare from Dr. Simpson for \$100; two Red Squirrel colts from R. F. Paull for \$250; one five year old gelding from Rollin Browning for \$100;

Smokers attention. He has come at last. The Never Down, Log Run and Keystone cigar. Its made of cabbage leaves and rotten stock, bad flavor. If you don't believe it, try one and you will like it. Ask your merchant for it. Manufactured by S. L. Howie, Somerset, Ky.

Dr. W. T. Grissom has suggested a Masonic picnic for the Fourth of July. A meeting of the Masons of Adair county would doubtless be pleasant and profitable, but should the lodges agree upon a general gathering, we suggest the 24th of June, St. John's Day, which is usually celebrated by the Fraternity throughout the State.

Mr. Sam Lewis, the well-known produce man informs us that in all probability he will remove his family from Glasgow to Columbia about the first of September. Mr. Lewis is an excellent gentleman, and his many friends throughout this section will be glad to learn of the contemplated change, and will give him and his family a hearty welcome when the locate in Columbia.

If you are an up-to-date dresser and want up-to-date clothes, buy a faultless suit or a pair of "Buck Eye Pants." They are only up-to-date clothes. Prices, \$5, \$8, \$11 and \$12.50 per suit; pants, \$1.25 to \$5.00 at

Miss Marietta Rowe, who is quite popular with the society people of Columbia, entertained handsomely last Thursday evening. This city was well represented, a number of couples being honored with invitations. The social was given in honor of Miss Olive Snow, of Missouri. Miss Rowe delights in entertaining her friends, and when the young people are at her home they are free and easy, hence it goes without saying that this meeting was highly appreciated, all regretting the breaking up hour.

Geo. Borders Dead.

The subject of this notice died at his late residence in Campbellsville on Thursday, the 12th of this month. For many years he was proprietor of the Columbia and Campbellsville Stage Line, and was well known to many citizens of this place. He was true to his friends, a loving husband and an affectionate father. Religious services were held at the residence on Friday and the interment was in Campbellsville cemetery.

Rare Bargains.

Ladies' ready-made night gowns, 50c each.

Ladies' ready-made dress skirts, 25c and up.

Hemstitched sheets, 50 and 60 cents each, large size.

Straw matting, 12 1/2c.

Hemp carpet, 7 yd. wide, 12 1/2c.

Hemp carpet, yd. wide, 10 1/2c.

Full line of cotton and woolen ingrain carpets at bottom prices, large line to select from.

Don't miss the above bargains, they are for you if you will only give us a chance to show you.

## THE TWO BRIDGES.

The County Court Awards the Contracts for Building Same.

Last Thursday the County Court met at Plum Point on Green river for the purpose of determining the most suitable place to build a bridge across said stream. About seventy-five or one hundred interested citizens, together with eight or ten bridge men, were on hand and the advantages accruing to the people of the county by bridging the river at that point were forcibly presented by Dr. R. D. Howious, C. V. McWhorter and Steve Kniffley all making brief but pointed argument in favor of Plum Point. The crowd was invited to dinner by Messrs. Russell, Watson and others who lived near and if all fared as well as the News man who, with several others, dined with Mr. Corbin, then all were well fed and kindly treated.

After dinner the magistrates and many others started for old Neatsville reaching there about 2:30 p. m., and finding about one hundred of the good citizens of that section ready to welcome the court and to set forth the advantages of bridging at that point. The reasons why the river should be bridged at that point were presented in short and forceful speeches made by Hon. W. F. Neat and Mr. R. W. Allen, after which the court adjourned to meet in Columbia the following day. For hospitality the citizens of Neatsville and vicinity are unsurpassed and the many pressing invitations to spend the night with them made us feel that it was a good land. On Wednesday morning the magistrates met in the court room to receive bids from the representatives of the various bridge companies and to determine whether the bridge should be built at Plum Point or Neatsville. Anxious representatives of both localities were on hand but the question was not fully settled until late in the evening when the vote stood 5 to 1 in favor of Plum Point. We must say that while the rivalry between the two places was spirited that the best of humor prevailed and while many thought that Neatsville was the logical place for the bridge yet the good citizens who made a hard fight, a strong pull and backed up their claim by \$900 in subscription accepted the decision of the magistrates without a murmur. A bridge at Neatsville would cost less money than at Plum Point but our magistrates only appropriated the funds for this year accruing from 32 1/2 cent levy and required the people directly interested at the places selected to contribute the remainder. As it now stands the people of Plum Point get \$3,007.71 from the county and they pay \$1,348.64 which builds the bridge. Milltown gets from the levy \$1,392.28 and they pull from their purses \$774.32 the amount necessary.

We are glad that our magistrates have taken this progressive step and feel that the people in the main will endorse them.

The contract for both bridges were awarded to the Champion Bridge Co., represented by Mr. Spain, but one of his competitors pushed him closely as he only underbid at one place \$9.00 and at the other about \$6.00.

Sweeping Reduction.

As long as they last but cannot be duplicated, I will offer as follows:

300 pair ladies black and tan slippers, 50c.

75 pairs of misses and children's black and tan slippers, 45c.

75 pair of misses and children's black and tan slippers, 40c.

75 pair of infant slippers, 30c.

200 pair ladies' Button shoes, 60c.

100 pair ladies' d'ongola kid shoes, \$1.00, former price, \$1.50.

100 pairs women medium weight shoes, 75c.

100 pairs mens' fine shoes, \$1.00.

100 pairs boys' fine shoes, \$1.00.

Do not wait, the above price will sell them quick. They are not cheap, shoddy stuff but good goods. It won't cost you anything to examine them. W. L. WALKER.

Dr. W. T. Grissom and wife and their estimable daughter, Miss Mary, entertained the young people last Saturday evening, the occasion being an "apron" party. It was blissful to all who attended, and when the hour for withdrawing arrived the invited guests were of one opinion—that this happy family was living in Bliss. Among those present were Misses Nora, Levia and Vallie Sandige, Rosa and Ella May Flowers, Susie Murrell, Mariah Browning, Willie White, Lena Todd, Dell Mitchell, Iva Moran, Corinne Jones, Irene and Bess Dehoney, Carrie Sherrill, Stella Conover, Fannie Stults, Zula Kinnard, Clara Wilmore, Lena Grissom, Josie and Mollie Caldwell, and Messrs. Sam Nat Hancock, Young Hurt, George and Twyman, J. E. Salmons, Jo Flowers, Bert Wilmore, Jim Hughes, Bert Collins, Jno. Grissom, Tom Hughes, Thad Salmons, Fred Robertson, Charles and Sam Brown, Lee Grissom and Sam White.

Messrs. J. W. Starnes and W. F. Martin, who have canvassed this county in the interest of the Knoxville Nursery Co., did a good business, but this is no more than the logical result of a good nursery represented by upright honest representatives. They are now doing business in Russell county and we bespeak for them similar success, for the people of that county, as this, need more fruit and have a fair knowledge of the great nursery of the South.

Coming Down.

I still have lots of bargains in dry goods. Read and come at once with cash or produce.

Good bleached domestic, yard wide, 5c per yard.

Heavy checked cotton, full width, 5c per yard.

Columbian shirting, good color, heavy weight, 7 1/2c.; worth 10 elsewhere.

Heavy bed ticking, 10c. yard.

Apron gingham, fast colors, 5c.

Turkey red table linen, 6-4 wide, 15c. per yard.

White table linen, 6-4 wide, 25c. per yard.

10-4 bleached or brown sheeting, 15c. yard.

Ladies' fast black hose, 5c. pr.

Men's heavy socks, 5c. pr.

Ladies' fancy handk's, 1c. each.

Nice lace curtains, 50c. pair.

Linen window shades, 25c., complete with fixtures.

Window poles, all colors, complete with brass trimmings, 25c.

Large size counterpanes, 50c.

Cotton towels, 20x36, 5c.

Extra heavy cotton towels, 20x40 10c. each.

36 inch window screen, 5c. yd.

We clip the following from the Lebanon, Enterprise: Prof. James E. Willis, assistant teacher in the Bradfordsville Normal and High School closed Wednesday night with Miss Verna Glasscock, the beautiful daughter of Mr. James H. Glasscock, Bradfordsville. Their intentions were known to no one and their elopement was a great surprise. Prof. Willis was reared in this county—a representative of one of the best families and is a young lawyer, as well as a teacher, whose energy and ability will produce good returns wherever he may locate. Miss Glasscock is a charming young lady and has visited in this city. These young people have the good wishes of their many friends in this part of the county.

## CUT PRICES FOR CASH.

AT RUSSELL & MURRELL'S.

Granulated sugar, 6c.

Green coffee, 10c.

2 pounds soda, 5c.

Heavy brown domestic, 5c.

Best blue cottonade, 10c.

Best heavy striped cottonade, 12c.

Scotch lawns, (desirable styles) 4c.

Calicoes, 4 to 5c.

200 mens assorted shirts 25c. each.

Job lot laces, 1 to 5c. former price 5 to 10c.

10 pieces dress gingham 5 worth 10c.

Check gingham, 5c.

Bed tick, 10c.

9-4 brown sheeting, 12c.

Large linen towels, 10c.

Good pattern, curtain scrim, 5c.

These prices until May 10th, with sweeping reductions on all lines of goods to cash buyers. Russell & Murrell.

Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge will preach at the Presbyterian church, this city, Sunday—W. S. Dudgeon will preach the funeral of Bro. Nic Davis at Cane Valley.—W. B. Cave will preach at Liberty, and will attend to the ordinance of baptism Saturday evening after preaching.—There will also be preaching at the Baptist church, this city by Revs. W. T. Underwood, Friday night; T. M. Green, Sunday; J. W. Crawley, Sunday night.

It affords us much pleasure after spending several weeks in Adair county to return our sincere thanks to the many who patronized us in our business and gave us such courteous treatment. Our sales were entirely satisfactory and we have no room for complaint from any source but can truthfully state that our short stay in this county was pleasant and we shall ever have a kind feeling for the people who live within her borders. Trusting entire satisfaction in the delivery this fall, we remain yours truly,

J. W. Starnes and W. F. Martin.

For a Short Time Only.

For 15 days only I will sell as follows for cash only.

Two pounds soda, 5c.

One gallon sorghum, 80c.

Two cakes extra good laundry soap, 5c.

New Orleans sugar, 5c.

Good green coffee, 10c.

Scissors, 10c.

Glass tumblers, 10c per set.

Glass goblets, 15c per set.

Trace chains, 20c per pair.

Extra made collar pads, 25c.

Extra good hand saws, 50c.

One pound can Baking powder, 5c.

First class talcum powder, 5c.

Remember I will be compelled to limit the time on these items to only 15 days.

The Best in the World.

We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough, and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see its effects. It cured us before the bottle was more than half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs.—The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale by M. Cravens.

We noticed in the Interior-Journal that Mr. Mc Wheat and family will leave in a short time for Texas to make their home in one of the prosperous towns of that State. Kentucky will lose an excellent citizen and a good Democrat.

An effort is being made by Americans to raise a contribution to relieve the starving people of India. Mr. Warinner, of this town, will receive any amount you will give and have the same immediately applied to those suffering from the pangs of hunger.

Dr. J. N. Pace informs us that Capt. W. E. Cabell, who left this state, an officer in the volunteer army, is now Governor of an island in the Philippines. Capt. Cabell is a native of Green county, and his many friends in this section will receive this as good news.

Mrs. E. G. Atkins entertained the young people of Columbia Monday evening in honor of Misses Pearl Jones, of Greensburg, and May Mitchell, of Arkansas. A good number of the young people were present and the evening was pleasantly spent.

Mr. Tate Turpen while trimming a tree last Saturday had the misfortune to cut his foot. The cut is an inch long and to the bone on the top of his foot. It is a very painful wound, but he is able to hobble around.

Attention.

I am still in the produce business and am prepared to handle more than I have been in the past. I will pay the highest market prices for all country produce.

I would like to meet the neighbors to try and organize a Sunday-School at Rocky Hill, the second Sunday evening in May, at 2 o'clock. The parents are especially invited to come and bring the children, for it is our place to start the children in the right path, and this is the Lord's work. Let us go to work with a willing heart and have a good Sunday-School. All invited, in or out of the neighborhood.

For The Ladies.

Mrs. T. I. Smith, the artistic milliner, Cane Valley, has the largest line of spring hats, bonnets, ribbons, etc., ever opened this side of Green river. Not a hat carried over from last season—every thing new and complete. If you want to see hats dazzling with beautiful flowers, call at her store. Her stock was bought 100 per cent cheaper than last year, hence she can sell goods for less money than any other milliner in the county. Satisfaction guaranteed. Produce taken in exchange for goods. Call.

Mrs. T. I. Smith, Cane Valley, Ky.

GREENSBURG.

Fire broke out in Woodson Lewis' storebuilding last Friday night about 11 o'clock, and was beyond control when discovered. It consumed the building and contents, J. M. Howell's drug store and building, Skaggs & Hamilton's law office, an office owned by B. W. Penick, recently vacated by Henry Martin. Smith's barber shop, poultry house owned by Mr. Lewis and occupied by Grinstead & Co., and the law office of W. N. Foster and J. H. Woodward. But for the tin roofing on the clerk's office the clock to west Main street would have been consumed. By tireless work and good management the fire was stopped at the County Clerk's office. All the public records were taken from the office and remained on the public square during the remainder of the night.

Goods were taken from the buildings of Clark & Hagan, Tucker Calhoun & Co., J. E. Cantrell's drug store and B. E. Courts. Messrs. Lewis and Howell saved but very few of their goods. Lewis had \$5,000 insurance with a loss of \$15,000. Howell was insured for \$1,000 and lost \$2,500. A hard shower came at a very opportune time to assist in checking the fire at the clerk's office. There are many theories as to how the fire originated, but none claim it was the work of incendiaries.

JOPPA.

There has been but very little corn planted in this community.

E. D. White, who has been confined to his bed for several days is improving.

Sam Roysse was in this vicinity last week on business.

J. H. Dice has been confined to his bed for a few days with la grippe.

O. B. Jeffries, Misses Clara Garnett and Flora Powell are attending the normal at Montpellier.

C. E. Willis has been handling the yard stick for Epperson & Willis for the past week.

Ben. F. Powell bought of Wm. Bell last week his Joppa farm for \$26.00.

The social at Mr. W. W. Brockman's Thursday night was largely attended and enjoyed by all present.

C. G. Jeffries last week bought of Art Hurt and Everett Montgomery 6 head of calves for \$75.00 and sold to F. T. Selby 30 head of sheep for \$85.50.

FELIX.

What is looking fine in our neighborhood.

Mrs. Blankenship is very sick at this writing.

There was preaching at Christian Chapel on last Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Lillie McWhorter, who has been very sick is improving.

It is reported that a Sunday school will begin at Christian chapel the 3rd Sunday in May.

## Up-To-Date Millinery



We are now receiving our spring and summer goods from the Louisville and Cincinnati markets. Our goods are of the very latest styles and will surpass any ever shown in Columbia. We invite all our friends and customers in Adair and adjoining counties to come and see our stock before buying. Our prices will be as low as the lowest. We receive new goods every week.

Mrs. Tim Bradshaw.  
Miss Effie Bradshaw.

## If You Smoke Send For a Sample Box of

"Baird's Little Havanas,"  
—3 FOR 5 CENTS.—  
\$1.50 Per Hundred, 25 cents Extra for Postage.  
OVER A MILLION SOLD IN 1899.  
BAIRD'S 5th, and Jefferson, Louisville, Ky.

## For Thirty Days !!

## Are you Hunting for BARGAINS

If so bring your CASH with you if you want bargains in Shirts—ready-made shirts, domestics and Hosiery.

I am going to close out my entire line of Shoes, Hardware, Tinware, and Queensware regardless of cost. I will sell you Hames, Chains, Collars, Plow Points and Plow handles at cost to close out. I am not talking simply to draw peoples attention but am telling you facts.

## FERTILIZERS

All grades, the best made, and I will not be undersold on Fertilizers. Be sure and come and see me before you buy and I will save you money on these lines of goods and can give as good terms to reliable parties as any one else on large quantities. Give me a call

## C. R. WARINNER.

### A Keen Clear Brain.

Your best feelings, your social position or business success depend largely on the perfect action of your Stomach and Liver. Dr. King's New Life Pills give increased strength, a keen, clear brain, high ambition. A 25 cent box will make you feel like a new being. Sold by T. E. Paull, druggist.

About one year ago a cow belonging to Mr. F. W. Miller, near Eunice, was bitten by a mad dog but showed no signs of any wrong until a few days ago when she died of hydrophobia. Mr. Miller's little son was bitten at the same time but the dog's teeth did not enter the flesh, merely bruising, however, a mad stone was applied. No fears are entertained as to his safety. It is remarkable that twelve months elapsed before the dreadful effects of hydrophobia should appear.

### A Fast Bicycle Rider.

Will often receive painful cuts, sprains or bruises from accidents. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, will kill the pain and heal the injury. It's the cyclist's friend. Cures Chafing, Chapped Hands, Sore Lips, Burns, Ulcers and Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Try it. Sold by T. E. Paull druggist.

### New Millinery

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### Novelties !!

I AM NOW RECEIVING THE largest and handsomest stock of Spring Hats, Bonnets, etc., ever presented to this market—trimmings of the very latest, and I guarantee to please all those who desire to purchase anything in my line.

My long experience as a milliner enables me to compete with any one in my line of business. I am warranted in making the above statement from the trade I have heretofore received, and I most respectfully ask the continuation of the same favors extended in the past.

MRS. E. T. STRANGE.